## LOS ANGELES COUNTY - DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH REVENUE MANAGEMENT DIVISION

## HEALTHY WAY LA EARNED INCOME DEDUCTION

Use the client's current Payer Financial Information (PFI) form, current income situation, and the chart below to determine if the client meets the financial criteria for Healthy Way LA. A client's monthly income as documented on the PFI must be equal to or less than the amounts below to qualify for Healthy Way LA. These amounts go up based on the number of people dependent on the client's income.

Family Size	133% Federal Poverty Level
1	\$1239
2	\$1677

If the client works, deduct \$90 from their Adjusted Monthly Income (Line 21 on the PFI). If the client's income after the \$90 deduction is at or below 133% of the Federal Poverty Level then the client meets the income requirement for Healthy Way LA eligibility. Use the chart below to document the HWLA \$90.00 Earned Income Deduction and attach it to the PFI.

Client Name:	DMH ID #:
Healthy Way LA Monthly Ea	rned Income Worksheet
PFI Adjusted Monthly Income (Line 21)  Less HWLA \$90.00 Earned Income Deduction	\$ on -\$
Adjusted Monthly Income for HWLA	\$

Remember, Department of Mental Health requires income for all applicants to be verified. Income is considered as verified if there is current documentation of the client's income such as a current tax return, pay stubs, or a letter from the client's employer. A signed affidavit from the client is not acceptable as income verification.